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District News

From Our Correspondents

KIRKCALDY

Miss Janet Ware spent the past week visiting with relatives at Calgary.

Shorty Lund was a Calgary visitor for a few days last week.

Mrs. Markert and Mrs. Bert Maisey were recent Lethbridge visitors.

Mr. Goshwosky spent Friday at Lethbridge where he attended a meeting of C.P.R. employees.

Kirkcaldy Women's Institute met on Jan. 23 at the home of Mrs. Henry Todd, with 11 members and three visitors present. Roll call was answered with "Qualities of a Good Citizen," and the raffle was won by Mrs. Carnegie.

The new programs were given out to the members and it was decided to raise money at the next meeting by having a white elephant auction sale. The auditor's report was read by Mrs. Bernard and reports from the sick committee and on the rest room were given. Community singing followed, led by Margaret Fuller.

Members were reminded that the district conference will be held on March 5th and 6th in the Elks hall, Calgary. Mrs. Williams gave a paper on the new "Citizenship Act," and two spouses by Margaret Fuller were greatly enjoyed. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Bert Maisey on February 27th.

Nation Wide Storms Strike

All across Canada the country was swept with terrific storms which gathered in fury on January 30 and 31. The coldest temperature ever recorded on this continent was registered at Snag in the Yukon, 175 miles northwest of Whitehorse, and about 1200 miles northwest of Edmonton. Record-breaking lows were registered at points south of the polar regions.

The storms which swept the prairies bringing blizzards that plugged roads, and caused great suffering, took the form of a 75-mile per hour hurricane at Vancouver. One million dollars of damage was estimated in the land and sea havoc, with most of the damage in down town Vancouver and on the waterfront.

Down in Ontario rain, sleet and snow combined to drift highways and slow-up traffic. Toronto had its worst storm since 1944.

In United States there were blizzards of terrific proportions and heavy snows. The cold wave worked through Montana, Colorado and Wyoming.

Up in the far north where the cold wave started human breath froze immediately with hissing sound and vapor trails hung for minutes in the air. Increased audibility was very apparent, and men at Snag could hear sounds from an Indian village 3 miles away quite clearly. It was 83 below.

Simultaneously Britain saw cold weather records of the past 66 years smashed when the Thames river froze and even the sea froze at Folkestone. Fuel shortages forced stiffest cuts yet made in gas and electricity and there was great discomfort and suffering. Candles were used for light and even for heat. Women waiting in queues fainted from cold, and schools and factories closed for want of fuel.

In Alberta motor travel was held to a minimum as car machinists stiffened up in the unrelenting cold. School attendance was disrupted and travel anywhere off main roads was perilous. Livestock shrank under the exposure despite continuous feeding, and there was apprehension for cattle out on the range.

Starting New Cancer Service

The Alberta branch of the Canadian Cancer Society has inaugurated a Cancer Dressing Service as a home service to cancer patients in the province. This started February 1.

It will be centred in Calgary as a start with Mrs. N. S. Symons in charge. Later other branches will be opened.

The Cancer Dressing service will fill a great need, by providing more comfort for the patient and by eliminating the cost of dressing material which in some cases is as high as \$30.00 per month.

Sterilized dressings will be prepared and distributed free of

W. Dyce Allan Re-elected Mayor of Vulcan

Election To Be Held For Councillors and School Trustees

W. D. Allan has been re-elected by acclamation as mayor of Vulcan for a term of two years. Mayor Allan was also re-elected as the town representative on the Vulcan Municipal Hospital Board.

Nomination day on Monday brought forth three nominations to fill two vacancies on the town council. Nominated were Max R. Morrison, G. E. Clayton and A. G. Saxby. Retiring councillor Chester Rea did not stand for re-election.

There will also be an election to fill the three vacancies on the school board. Nominated were H. T. Lamont, D. D. McQueen, John Mitchell, R. C. R. Munro and Mrs. Jessie Gold, the latter being the three trustees whose terms have expired.

Term of office for town councillors is three years; for school trustees two years.

The election of town councillors and school trustees will take place on Monday, Feb. 10th, at the town office, and voting will take place from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. C. H. Hoskny is returning officer, and the results of the election will be made known on Tuesday, Feb. 11th.

RE-ELECTED



Mayor W. D. Allan

Standing In Foothills League

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Coleman	12	12	0	0	128	21	24
Okotoks	12	10	3	0	109	58	20
Nanton	11	7	2	3	88	56	17
Blairme	12	6	5	1	64	70	12
H. River	16	6	9	0	58	95	12
Macleod	13	5	7	1	80	83	11
Clareshm	11	3	7	1	55	62	7
Vulcan	10	3	7	0	43	85	6
Stavely	12	0	12	0	33	118	0

Top Honors at Banff Bonspiel Taken by Vulcan Ladies Rink

Undeclared in 22 Rink
Competition at Banff

Top honors in the Annual Ladies Bonspiel at Banff last week-end were gained by a Vulcan rink, composed of Mrs. Marg. King, skip; Mrs. Mabel Rea, third; Mrs. Pat Collier, second; and Mrs. Irma Middleton, lead.

Winners of the main event at the bonspiel in the mountain town, the ladies also gained possession of the Cheney Cup, emblematic of the bonspiel championship, and the cup is now on display at King's Drug Store. Individual prizes of all-wool blankets were also received by the ladies.

Twenty-two rinks from B.C. and Alberta competed in the 'spiel. The secondary event was won by the Kay Ward rink, Banff, and Mrs. C. Heibert's rink of Nanton won the consolation.

Local Couple Take Marriage Vows

ENGLEN - MORLEY

A quiet wedding of interest throughout the district took place Friday afternoon at the home of the bride, when Mrs. Robin Armstrong Morley and Mr. William Henry Englen were united in marriage. Rev. O. H. Rollis officiated.

Miss Agnes Englen, sister of the groom, and Mr. Jimmie Jensen attended the happy couple.

The bride chose an afternoon dress of aqua blue with black accessories, for the occasion, while Miss Englen also wore a blue gown and black accessories.

Following the ceremony a wedding supper for a few close friends and members of the families was held at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Englen of the Reid Hill district.

Mr. and Mrs. Englen will reside in Vulcan.

charge to patients in private homes and in nursing homes anywhere in the province.

The Provincial Government, Department of Health now offers free diagnostic and treatment service through their clinics in Calgary and Edmonton; but it is felt that the Cancer dressing service will, indirectly, play an important role in the cancer educational work which is the main function of the Society.

Requisitions for dressings may be made directly to the Cancer Dressing Service, 122-8th Avenue West at present and after February 1st to 218-8th East, Calgary.

Britain celebrated the New Year by nationalizing the coal mining industry, taking over 1500 collieries employing 700,000 miners. The value of this acquisition is 658 million dollars, and the government promises better pay and better working conditions, with a 5-day week.

Annual Meetings At Champion

A. C. Johnson was chairman of the annual meeting of the Village of Champion, held Friday evening, Jan. 31. The financial statement was discussed and accepted. Motions were passed to employ a town man to act as policeman and fire chief and to purchase more equipment for the fire hall. An earlier closing hour on Saturdays for the merchants was discussed, but no decision was made. There was a good attendance despite the severe weather.

The annual meeting of the Champion Community Hall Board was held Jan. 23 and the 1946 slate of directors was re-elected. The hall is in good financial condition and a discussion was held on the installation of a new heating system, which it is hoped can be done this year. There was a good attendance at the meeting.

To Press Gov't For 50 p c. Share Educational Cost

An Alberta Educational Council was set up on Jan. 10, made up of 26 provincial organizations co-operating in an effort to rouse public action to induce the government to finance at least 50% of the cost of elementary and secondary education in Alberta. Associations contributing include Municipal Organizations, Home and School, U.F.A., A.F.U., A.F.A., W.I., U.F.W.A., Canadian Legion, I.O.D.E., Boards of Trades and C. of C., School Trustees and so on.

Miss Jennie Elliott of Calgary, at one time on the High River high school staff, is convener of press publicity. With strong backing from the participating organizations, some impression should be made on the government. It is expected there will be a big debate on education in the coming legislative session. The Highwood council is one local organization that has contributed financially to this educational campaign.

It is expected that the Minister of Education may argue that there is not enough money to give school children a fair break. But the people of Alberta can find 36 million a year for liquor. They can find 18 million a year to pay for tobacco in some form. So far they can find only 14 million to spend on educating their children.

The Educational Council asks: When are we going to scrap this system of "supervisors" that is creeping into our rural schools?

Official closing date for Canadian Red Cross. This service cared for war brides and repatriates from the far East.

Army Drill Hall Will Definitely Be Erected Here In Spring

Will Be Moved From Lethbridge To Provide Headquarters For Calgary Highlanders Company And for Use As Community Centre

A drill hall will be moved to Vulcan from the Lethbridge Intermittent Camp and erected to serve as an armory for the Reserve Army and as a community centre. This was the definite word received on Tuesday by Mayor W. D. Allan from Col. T. E. Snow, officer in command of administration, Western Command, who had been so advised by Army Headquarters at Ottawa.

The plans outlined by Col. Snow in his letter call for one half of the building to have a concrete floor, this part to be used as a garage, drill hall, etc. The other half of the building will have a hardwood floor, with walls and ceiling covered with gyproc, and will be for use as a community hall and for physical training and such sports as badminton, basketball, etc.

Canteens, lounges, quartermaster stores and other facilities will also be provided in the fully modern building. A senior N.C.O. of the Active Army will be permanently stationed in Vulcan to act as an instructor, as well as a full time caretaker.

The Army's decision to locate the drill hall in Vulcan is the result of months of effort on the part of Mayor Allan, Major C. R. Robson and the Citizens Committee. The fact that this district had a very high percentage of enlistments in the armed forces during the war and that a great many of the more than three hundred servicemen from Vulcan passed through the reserve army unit here influenced the Army's decision.

Arrangements are now being made by the town to transfer title to a block of land on Vulcan Street to the Department of National Defence, to serve as a site for the drill hall. Work on moving the drill hall from Lethbridge to Vulcan and re-erection here is to be done as soon as possible, starting about the first of March.

As soon as the training facilities are available the Citizens Committee will open a recruiting campaign to bring the local reserve army unit ("A" Company, The Calgary Highlanders) up to strength. Major C. R. Robson is officer commanding "A" Company, and plans call for company headquarters and two platoons in Vulcan, with the third platoon at Blackie.

Root-Ashmore Wedding, Calgary

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at Central United Church, Calgary, on Jan. 18 at 4 p.m. when Betty Ferne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Ashmore of Hillcrest, formerly of Champion, became the bride of Jack Root, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Root of Coleman. Rev. Andrew Lawson officiated.

The bride chose for her wedding a "precious" blue dressmaker suit with nailhead trim, a white sheer blouse and small black hat with misty veil and black accessories. A corsage of American Beauty roses completed her costume.

Mrs. Walter Rhodes of Champion, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She was attired in a few tailored suit with small green hat and green accessories and her corsage was of pale pink carnations. Mr. E. Macherv of Calgary, was groomsmen.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Mandarin Gardens. The table decorations were tall white lighted tapers and pink carnations in silver holders. Mr. Otto Jensen of Calgary proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom responded. For travelling to points in the mountains, where the honeymoon was spent prior to taking up residence in Coleman, the bride donned a fox trimmed blue coat over her wedding suit.

Prior to her marriage Miss Root was on the staff of the Treasury Branch at Vulcan. Out-of-town guests were from Champion, Nanton and Coleman.

FEBRUARY RATINGS

On February 6 meat coupon 71 is valid.

On Feb. 13, butter coupon B41, meat coupon 72 are valid.

On Feb. 20, butter coupon 42, meat coupon 73, sugar coupons 41 and 42 are valid.

On Feb. 27, butter coupon 43; meat coupon 74 are valid.

Posthumous Award Operational Wings

The gold operational wings of the Royal Canadian Air Force, awarded posthumously to Flying Officer Jack Nafziger, have been received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Nafziger of Vulcan. Given in recognition of gallant service in action against the enemy, the wings are accompanied by an official certificate of award signed by the Chief of the Air Staff.

F/O Nafziger, who was a bomb aimer in 419 Moose Squadron, was posted as missing, presumed dead, when his Lancaster aircraft failed to return from a raid over Cologne, Germany, on Oct. 28, 1944.

Municipal Meeting Sat., Feb. 15th

Notice is given in this issue that the annual meeting of the electors of the Municipal District of Vulcan No. 29 will be held in the I.O.O.F. hall, Vulcan, on Saturday, Feb. 15th.

Nominations for the office of councillor for Division 1 will be received between three and four o'clock p.m. on this date, and at the same time nominations will be received for one member of the Board of High River Hospital District No. 11, one member of the Board of Vulcan Hospital District No. 19, and one member of the Board of Little Bow Hospital District No. 25.

The Returning Officer for the municipal elections is A. J. Miller.

Bruce McKay Heads Elks Lodge

Officers for 1947 of Vulcan Lodge No. 121, B.P.O. Elks, were installed last week as follows: Bruce McKay, Exalted Ruler; Carson McKay, Leading Knight; L. Engen, Loyal Knight; R. C. Munro, secretary-treasurer; Henry Dorch, Inside Guard; Ed. Arnold, Tyler; C. J. Robinson, W. A. Fitzpatrick and R. B. Middleton, trustees.

Dr. G. M. Carson, head of the committee for formation of a Vulcan Athletic Association, spoke on the progress of this project. The various lodges and organizations of the town will appoint delegates to attend an organization meeting in the near future.

Big Variety of Goods at Lions' Community Auction, Saturday

Everything From Rolling Pins And Meal Tickets to Cream Separators and Wheatland Plows

Posters are now out advertising the Lions mammoth auction sale, which will be held at C. M. Allen's sale lot on Saturday, Feb. 8th, commencing at 11 a.m.

Donations already received range from potatoes, chickens, turkeys, eggs, scarce grocery items, meal tickets, cows and bulls to seed grain, oil stoves, furniture, lubricants, electrical appliances, children's toys, radios and farm machinery.

The state of the weather will, of course, play a big part in the success of the sale, and hopes are high that the weatherman will smile on Saturday. Due to the extremely cold weather and difficulty of the roads some difficulty has been experienced in picking up donations and farmers and townspeople are asked to co-operate as much as possible in getting their donations to the sale lot. This will be greatly appreciated by the Lions.

The articles for sale are expected to move at a rapid pace with three high calibre auctioneers on duty in the persons of C. M. Allen, J. E. Ginther and Jos. Gerding. Chas. Fulton will be sale clerk and articles donated should be tagged with the donor's names so official receipt can be issued for income tax purposes.

Throughout the day a hot lunch will be served by the Lions' ladies. Total proceeds of the sale will be used by the Lions for community services, so help the Lions to help you by attending the sale on Saturday.

Advocate Now On the Air

On Monday of this week Vulcan joined the network of towns that contribute news to radio station CFAC's Southern Alberta News Roundup, heard nightly at 10:15 over the Calgary station.

The two and a half minute broadcast from the Advocate office is heard Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week and features the highlights from the news of the town and district. This new feature has been undertaken by The Advocate as a community service and has already been commented on very favorably by both town and country listeners. Local announcers are Bob Munro and Albert Collier.

The co-operation of residents of Vulcan and the surrounding towns and districts in seeing that all news of interest reaches the Advocate office will be greatly appreciated and will aid the Advocate in giving complete news coverage of this area, both through the paper and over the radio.

Legion Re-elects C. R. Robson

C. R. Robson was re-elected president of the Vulcan Branch No. 21, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L. at the annual general meeting of the Legion held Wednesday evening of last week. Dr. G. M. Carson was named honorary president.

First vice-president for the current year is G. C. McKay and second vice-president is R. C. Munro. The following members were elected to the executive committee: J. J. Price, D. D. McQueen, John Hunter, R. J. Clark and C. L. Findlay. Rev. V. S. Lord was named chaplain. Trustees will be elected at the next meeting of the branch.

The auditor's financial statement showed that the Vulcan Branch is in a favorable financial position. Social activities will play a more prominent part in the Legion activities during 1947. The strong position of the local branch of the Canadian Legion is reflected in its membership, which is now over 360.

Water-Sewer Vote March 12

At a special meeting of the town council Monday evening of this week the date of the town ratepayers' vote on the water and sewer debenture by-law was set for Wednesday, March 12th.

Praises Scottish Soccer Player

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wyllie, who have recently returned from Scotland, are now residing in Calgary. Mrs. Wyllie was formerly Miss Mildred Ulrich of Vulcan. The Calgary Albertan makes this note about Mr. Wyllie, who is an outstanding soccer player.

Jack Wyllie, a clever soccer halfback who starred with No. 31 E.F.T.S. and No. 37 Bombers during the war, has returned to Calgary and will be seen out with one of the local teams when the season opens.

Jack is from Govanhill, Glasgow, and is a typical Scottish player, for he always gives his best display when it's needed most.

He played in all the international games at Mewata Stadium and was usually the most outstanding player on view. There will be a rush for his signature when the contracts are issued.

Be Sure to Attend the Lions' Mammoth Auction!!

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WANTED TEACHERS

READERS will have noticed weekly articles in this paper dealing with the shortage of teachers in Alberta, and the necessity of restoring educational standards over the province. An educational Council has been set up subscribed to by Municipal Associations, Trustees Associations, Home and School W.I., U.F.A. and many such organizations, all deeply concerned with the breakdown of educational training, mainly due to lack of competent teachers. And back of this is the general failure to recognize the importance of the teaching profession through adequate financial returns. Unless actuated mainly by love of the profession and a lively realization of the public service they are rendering many able and successful teachers are tempted to turn to other more remunerative professions or occupations.

One objective of the Educational Council is to urge the government to assume at least 50 per cent of the cost of elementary and secondary education.

A shocking phase of the present educational situation is that 15,671 children in Alberta are dependent upon what is called "Mail Box" education. What training they get to lift them out of illiteracy is by correspondence classes. Children gaining what education they may by correspondence are deprived of the general discipline and incentive of school attendance and the social development which is a part of the playground and the school room.

Another condition which is considered deplorable is the number of young supervisors, untrained in teaching methods, who keep the schools open at various rural schools over the province. With the best will in the world, they are not qualified in teaching, and are merely a stop gap till teachers can be secured. But in the meantime the years are going by, with too many Alberta children deprived of qualified instruction. The harvest from this injustice will be reaped in later years, when, through no fault of their own such children find themselves handicapped in entering lines of work in which they might have

excelled. Society is allowing its human assets to waste from lack of training and disuse.

It does not seem so important that drastic change be made in minimum rates of pay for teachers—as in the rewards for proved ability. After all the first years of teaching are a form of apprenticeship and it is not necessarily the student of high academic standing who makes the best teacher. Ability to influence children and to guide them in learning is proved in the classroom, and the teacher who has the gift is a treasure beyond price to the province and the nation. His services can never be adequately remunerated but a better effort should be made in that direction. Minimum salaries should be commensurate with what is earned in other trained callings, with special recognition for those who go into isolated areas to teach. But there should be much greater emphasis on substantial increase for proved ability.

CANADA AT-PEACE TABLE

THE Dominion Government, according to reports from Ottawa, has protested the minor role offered this country in negotiating German peace terms. Present plans presumably call for the Big Four—Russia, France, the United Kingdom and the United States—working out the main settlement, with the other countries concerned, including Canada, merely being asked to give or withhold approval.

Many people will agree with Ottawa that Canadian participation in the war against Germany entitles us to be something more than observers at the peace table. Certainly Canada was in the war longer than Russia or the United States and in proportion to population our losses, both human and material, were larger than those of the United States and our industrial and financial investment at least as large.

There is of course, no comparison in the physical damage suffered by France but there is little doubt that our armed forces in the air, on the sea and even on land, contributed much more decisively to the final victory.

Twice within the short space of 25 years the British Dominions have been called upon to help drive back a German invader. Both times they have responded freely and immediately with men, money and materials, and with no thought of any compensation beyond a desire for peace. Their contributions to victory have been substantial, perhaps in some instances even vital. They and other small countries which have also suffered are surely entitled to have some effective say and responsibility in making and enforcing the peace. Perhaps had their co-operation been as eagerly sought in developing a real peace after 1919 as it was for the prosecution of war when that peace failed, the world might have been spared much of its present misery. (Financial Post)

Canada Aids Chinese Relief

This month Canadians are asked for two and a half million dollars to carry aid to China, largely for benefit of orphaned Chinese children.

For many people in China the sole diet is weeds and rice hulls. They are starving. They are cold. Winters in some parts of China are as bitter as in Canada, but there is nothing but light summer clothing for many, and all too little of that.

They are ill. At least two million children in China have been stricken with black fever. Without treatment it is fatal. With treatment 98% of cases are cured. Five dollars worth of drugs per child can save a life.

They are homeless. There are thousands of children wandering round streets in China, without homes, without anyone to care for them, and reception centres are quite inadequate to care for all.

China is devastated. The country areas are worse damaged than the cities. The Japs burned homes, destroyed crops and pillaged the countryside. Disastrous floods have inundated land and ruined crops.

Work relief, constructive relief loans, rehabilitation grants are required. Much of the money contributed by Canadians will be spent in Canada on required material.

In the war China suffered 10 million casualties. The Japs carried off 400 million tons of iron and machinery, the Russians stripped Manchurian factories.

Canada and China are next door neighbors in the post-war world. China must now be put on peace basis, so that it may trade what Canada has to sell for commodities that Canada needs such as wood, oil for paint, silk, tea, medicine roots, porcelain, bristles, hides, etc.

Education By Mail Box Route

There are 15,671 Children in Alberta Obligated to Carry on school Lessons by Correspondence

Sombody has come out with a new expression, "Mailbox Education" in place of the old term "correspondence education," to describe how we teach about 10% of Alberta's children.

Actually, each of these 15,671 mailbox students we read about gets a letter once a week from his teacher up in Edmonton. One a week—that's all. Just think how helpful, encouraging and inspiring

a teacher can be to a child she sees all day for five days a week; and then think how little of that influence she can exert by writing to him once a week. He doesn't even know what she looks like.

Away with this mailbox education; Let's find out how to get good teachers. Let's find enough money to keep them when we have got them. And any honest citizen understands that there is enough money in Alberta to educate our children properly. We HAVE the money. It is the duty of the people and the government of Alberta to see that Education does not starve for want of money.

Urge Higher Barley Price

Urging that breweries and beer consumers were well able to pay farmers the full value of barley used in the manufacture of this beverage, The North West Line Elevators Association, early in January, wired Hon. J. A. MacKinnon, Minister of Trade and Commerce, and Minister in charge of the Canadian Wheat Board, advocating that farmers be paid full market values for their barley. The wire pointed out that under existing conditions the Government is compelling farmers to sell their malting barley for manufacture of beer at \$1.00 per bushel under its market value. The wire follows: Hon. James A. MacKinnon,

Minister of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa, Canada.

We have noted with satisfaction the recent action of the Government in discontinuing the sale of farmer's wheat to distillers of alcohol at a price one dollar per bushel below export values. Stop. However, the Government is still compelling farmers to sell their malting barley for manufacture of beer at 84% cents per bushel when they could dispose of this barley at \$1.85 per bushel in the export markets. Stop. It is not reasonable to compel the farmers of Western Canada to subsidize beer to the extent of one dollar per bushel and we trust that you as the responsible Minister in charge of the Canadian Wheat Board will recommend to the Government that farmers be permitted to secure market value for their barley. Stop. There is no valid reason for farmers having to subsidize brewery and beer consumers. Stop. Both are well able to pay the farmers market value for barley required in the manufacture of this beverage.

—The North-West Line Elevators Association.

Heaviest Taxes In the World

(From Printed Word)

Mr. Hsley's address was not cheering. He apparently sought to convince Canadians that their tax burdens are light. They are not light. They are the heaviest in the world.

Mr. Hsley pointed out that, while after the latest war, taxes have been reduced, taxes were increased after the other war. He appears to have forgotten that, back in 1941 and 1942 when he was laying it off without mercy (and with little complaint from the public) he was saying that the heavier the taxes during the war the easier it would be to reduce taxes after the war. No tax which starts at 25 per cent and rapidly rises to 50 per cent can be said to be light on those with small and moderate incomes. On larger incomes the rate rapidly becomes confiscatory.

The remark about taxes after the other war may impress a few who don't remember that the highest taxation between 1919 and 1930 was trifling, and, moreover, that the other war continued from August, 1914, to April 30, 1918, before any citizen had to pay a cent of income tax. It was better to tax during the war than after, but the present and apparent intention of cutting taxes by the least possible amount is not keeping faith with the earners.

Backward, turn backward, O Time in your flight, Restore us the days when taxes were light.

Ottawa reports that the reason the Government is removing tax relief whereby, during the war, a wife's income from employment did not remove the husband's right to claim a married man's status, is that it constituted an injustice to former taxpayers, most of whom are helped by wives in earning the taxable income, but who are never allowed to deduct a reasonable amount for the wives' work. It never would occur to an Hsley adviser that a simple way out of this difficulty would be to raise the married exemption of the bona fide farmer to \$2,250. There are so few small farmers who pay income taxes anyway that the loss to the treasury would be trifling. It would of course, be creating a precedent in that a first step would be taken in dealing fairly with the vexed problem of farmers' income tax. Precedents must be avoided at all costs.—The Printed Word, Toronto.

War Brides And Children

Red Cross Services Offered to 61,200, Also Returnees From Far East

The total of war brides and children who have come to Canada under Red Cross escort is placed at approximately 61,200, made up of 41,400 brides and 19,800 children. More than 9,000 returnees from the Far East, many of whom were interned by the Japanese for four years, were given Red Cross assistance. Among them were the 1,500 Canadians surviving from the fall of Hong Kong. United Kingdom civilian and military repatriates were given Red Cross help from the time of their arrival on the West Coast until they embarked for Great Britain at Halifax.

From the time soldiers' wives and children began to arrive nearly three years ago, the Canadian Red Cross has been providing escort service for them.

Canadian Red Cross Corps members helped dependents to the ships in England, accompanied them to Canada and on to their destinations giving a complete home-to-home escort service. This was later extended to include brides and children from the Continent.

Hundreds of women and children travelling together posed stupendous problems for the Red Cross escorts. Mothers and their babies suffered from colds, dysentery, seasickness, train sickness and other ailments. The excitement of travel frayed nerves. There were many unusual diet requirements. The sea-crossings were grim, with the constant threat of submarines and often terrible storms.

The Red Cross work of organization and supervision was tremendous; notifying the next-of-kin, attending to luggage, providing hotel accommodation where required, nursery care to infants, baby food, supplying clothing, arranging for the cleaning of clothing, meeting the vast demands for diapers and seeing to entertainment for tedious journeys.

As the port of entry, Halifax met the brunt of this peaceful invasion, the Red Cross there receiving and caring for the newcomers and putting them on the right trains. Dispersal centres were operated by the Red Cross at Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary, Edmonton and Vancouver.

The Red Cross follow-up service is being carried on. Appreciation is expressed for the co-operation of other organizations, among them the Canadian Legion, the Salvation Army, the I.O.G.E., the St. John Ambulance Association, the Y.W.C.A., the Travellers' Aid and the Catholic Women's League. He also voiced appreciation of the work with which the Escort and Reception Service worked.

Those planning to import package bees in the spring are advised to place orders at once. The bee industry is experiencing the greatest demand ever known.

CHURCH NOTES

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Vulcan Pastoral Charge
Otto H. Rolis, Minister

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Morning Worship: 11 a.m. Every Christian should assemble himself with the people of God at this service for the Lord's Supper, which should be partaken of every Lord's Day after the pattern of the early church. Morning message: "Man Shall Not Live by Bread Alone."

Bible School: 12 noon. Classes for all ages. Bring the children and enjoy a study of God's word together.
Evening Service: 7:30 p.m. A service filled with real Gospel singing and preaching. Everyone is invited. Message: "Him Only Shalt Thou Serve."
Young People's meeting at 8:30 p.m.

ANGELICAN CHURCH

St. Aldhelm's, Vulcan—
2nd and 4th Sundays: 11 a.m., Holy Communion. Every Sunday: 7:30 p.m., Evensong and Sermon. Every Sunday at 12:15, Sunday School.

There will be no evening service at Vulcan on the third Sunday during the winter months.
Outside Points—
1st Sunday: St. John's, Lomond, 3 p.m.
3rd Sunday: Emmanuel, Carman, 3 p.m.
4th Sunday: Union Jack School, 2:30 p.m.
Other services as announced.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH

(20 miles S.E. of Vulcan)
Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:15 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Evangelical Youth Fellowship alternate each Sunday at 1 p.m. Sunday School and E.Y.F. meetings are conducted entirely in the English language.

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FOUND—Truck Tire and Wheel, 750 x 20. Owner to pay for advt. Banks & Banks, Vulcan.

WANTED

WANTED TO RENT—House in Vulcan. Phone "Alex" at Scales' Motors, phone 43. 26-1p

WANTED—Housekeeping position wanted by excellent housekeeper. Has two school age girls. References. Phone R.413, Vulcan. 26-2p

WANTED—Woman, 25 to 35 years of age. Apply Imperial Hotel, Vulcan. 17-tfc

WANTED—FRESH RABBITS—25 cents each—Sunny Alberta Silver Fox Ranch—Phone R1009, Vulcan. 17-tfc

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—BY THE STACK—No. 1 Crested Wheat Hay, \$13.00 per ton, also quantity Baled Hay. Phone C. M. Allen, Auctioneer, Vulcan. 21-tfc

FOR SALE—New Studio Lounge with 2 Chairs in dark blue velvet cover. Original cost \$215.00, selling for \$185.00. In storage at Vulcan Furniture. 25-tfc

SLENDOR TABLETS are effective. 2 weeks' supply \$1; 12 weeks \$5, at Mitchell's Drug Store.

FOR SALE—2 J.D. 5 1/2 ft. Tillers complete with geeder attachments, depth controls, on rubber, with tandem hitch and packers. Also one 1 1/2 Dodge Truck with Box. Alfred Vaage, Box 67, Champion. 25-2p

FOR SALE—Large McClary Cook Stove, in good shape. Apply Edward Archambault, Ensign. 26-2p

FOR SALE—Coal Burning Submarine Tank Heater, nearly new. Also grass seedling attachment for Massey-Harris No. 11 twelve foot drill. Apply to H. A. Baden, R.R. 2, Vulcan. 26-3p

FOR SALE—Dairy Cows fresh and Spicing, always on hand. Apply John Farries, 3 miles East, 1 mile South of High River. 3-p

FOR SALE—5-hole Kitchen Range in good shape. A. F. Spanke, Vulcan. 25-3-p

FOR SALE—6 SECTIONS OF FARM LAND. Also 9 Houses in Vulcan. List your Real Estate now with your local agent, J. E. GINTHER, License No. 549.

LAND FOR SALE—N.W. 1/4 Sec. 14-17-23-W.4th. 160 acres cultivated, 3-wire fence. Purchase price \$2,400. Terms: \$1,600 cash, balance in 4 equal annual payments with interest at 5% per annum.

—also—
S.E. 1/4 Sec. 18-16-22-W.4th. 60 acres cultivated, fenced and cross-fenced with 3-wire fence. Barn 18x40, garage 12x16 with cement floor. Good well, windmill and pump. Purchase price \$2,000. Terms: \$1,200 cash, balance in 4 equal payments of \$200 each with interest at 5% per annum.—Ross Walker, Phone 33, Vulcan. 22-tfc

LIVESTOCK FOR SALE—Exceptionally Well Bred Registered Shorthorn Bulls, aged from 1 year to 3 1/2 years and priced from \$150 to \$450.

10 Pure Bred Shorthorn Calves, 8 to 9 mos. old. Will sell by the pound.
4 Pure Bred Shorthorn Cows, bred to exceptionally good bulls, 5 to 6 years old, price \$135 to \$150. These cattle are not the culls of our herd, but as we are selling the 101 Ranch it is necessary that we reduce the size of our herd. Some of these cows are strong in dual purpose blood.—Ross Walker, Ph. 33, Vulcan. 22-tfc

FOR SALE—To clean up an estate—101 Ranch in the Reid Hill district. One section of land, full set of good buildings that cost more than we are asking for the ranch. Lots of trees. This is an ideal place for any person interested in having a side line of stock. A grand setup for raising purebred stock, as there are separate fenced pastures, each with a supply of water. Two dugouts, two wells and windmills and tanks serve the various pastures. 365 acres cultivated, all of which is excellent wheat land. 275 acres good pasture, of which considerable could be

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Complete Club Facilities
Visiting Members Cordially Welcome

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PHONE 82 VULCAN

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Phone 37 or leave orders at Vulcan Co-op.

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L.F. Dawson, Representative
Vulcan Phone 117
High River Phone 149

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22 Canada Life Bldg.,
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Telephone M2255

There is something very expansive about the use of the term "war brides." It would be a good plan to change the dictionary definition of brides or else quit using the term. A "bride" with two or three children seems a product of our times.

Canadian telegraph editors voted the Nuernberg trials as the outstanding news story of 1946. The disclosure of the Russian spy ring in Canada, was voted the best Canadian story. The 81-day steel strike came next for news value.

broken. A pasture lease of 54 acres and a road allowance lease of 8 acres goes with setup. Another 320 acres of cultivated land adjacent to the ranch can be rented. Purchase price \$17,000. Terms: \$9700 00 cash, terms to be arranged on balance with interest at 5% per annum.—Ross Walker, phone 33; Roy Walker, phone 105, Vulcan. 23-tfc

IN MEMORIAM

SILER—Elbert Beaufort Siler, who passed away Feb. 5th, 1945. "Nothing can ever take away the love a heart holds dear. Fond memories linger every day. Remembrances keeps him near."—Ever remembered by his loving wife and family.

Silverware Now Available

Open stock in 1881 Rogers flatware Grandeur and Del Mar patterns.

Orders can now be accepted for those items needed to complete your set.

Orders can also be accepted for six-piece settings in 1881, at five dollars per setting. Two or more of these can be ordered to begin your set.

See us now for particulars

VICTOR H. SAGAR

JEWELLER

VULCAN

1943 - 1944 PATRONAGE DIVIDENDS for PIONEER CUSTOMERS

We are now distributing a patronage dividend to customers who made deliveries for the season 1943-44. If, therefore, you made deliveries to us during that season, kindly call on our agent for your cheque.

We have now distributed patronage dividends to our customers for the seasons 1941-42; 1942-43; 1943-44; and 1945-46.

It is also our intention to distribute a patronage dividend for the season 1944-45 in due course.

Deliver Your Grain to

PIONEER GRAIN COMPANY

LIMITED



Items From Bob Edwards' Inimitable "Eye Opener"

In the High River Eye Opener of October, 1903, Bob Edwards emphasizes once more his conviction that municipalities should not bonus railways or corporations in order to get business. He dwells on a stimulating effect of marmalade on the enterprise and spirit of the well-born Englishman. His jottings from the Midnapore Gazette contain such sensational items as the loss of a barn door, the excessive postal business of the village and the sad drowning of Peter Johnston who fell in a well.

(High River Eye Opener Oct. 14, 1903)

For fast horses and swift polo players, High River stands pre-eminent in the west, a state of splendid isolation.

Winnipeg prices October, 1903: Export steers 3½ cts. off cars; mutton 4 cts.; packer hogs 6 cts.; milch cows \$25 to \$35; horses \$300 to \$400 a team; wheat 84½ cts.; oats 34 cts.; barley 38 cts.; hides 6½ cts.; dressed beef 6½ cts.; veal 8 cts.; creamery butter 25 cts.

There are two dailies, four weeklies and five monthlies in Calgary. Most of the people can read.

Don't Bonus Railways

It is up to our provincial governments when we get them to pass a law prohibiting municipalities from giving bonuses, grants and concessions to railroads and other some practice putting a premium on graft, and diverts public money from proper channels.

The new railroads of today are not in the position of the C.P.R. which did the pioneer work, took gamblers' chances and opened up the country. With the table all set and the grub laid out the magnates of new railways come along and want to be paid to sit down and eat. Such impertinence!

Essential Marmalade

We are sorry Commander Scott did not reach the South Pole first. He must have run out of marmalade. No Englishman of good family can retain his stamina without marmalade. It is recalled that many an engagement has hung on the marmalade supply. Whenever DeWet had a victory the Home Office in England knew at once that the marmalade supply must have run out and rushed off a shipment from famous Dundee by one of the fastest liners. In fact one of Lord Roberts' conditions for ending the war was that there be plenty of chutney, dill pickles and marmalade.

From Midnapore

The Midnapore Gazette contains the following sensational items: The windstorm the other day blew the door off James Practor's barn, but within 24 hours he had a man at work fixing it up again, and actually told the man to go ahead and do the job regardless of cost. It is such enterprise as this

that has made Midnapore what it is today, a formidable rival for Okotoks.

Forty-seven letters were received at our postoffice one day last week. The Postmaster General's Department at Ottawa is seriously thinking of adding a lean-to to the premises. Visitors to Midnapore stand aghast at the amount of business transacted at the post office.

The Calgary Herald is planning a mammoth special edition featuring Midnapore, its boundless resources, beautiful women and gallant men. The Herald representative who is gathering the material was greatly impressed, with the evidences of prosperity. In his opinion the bar fixtures at the Midnapore hotel could not be beat in a town half that size.

Peter Johnston on his way home Wednesday night fell headlong down the well behind John Morton's residence and was drowned. His corpse was not discovered till the following morning when Olga Nethersol, the Swedish servant, went out to draw a bucket of water. This shocking occurrence was a source of great annoyance to Mr. Morton who not only had to haul out the body but may also have to empty the well. His family expressed reluctance to drink water a la Pete. Mr. Morton hired two men to do the work and their bill was \$5, but he allows no expense to stand in his way in looking after the comfort of his family and meeting their slightest whim. Mr. Morton is a foremost citizen and was village overseer before being ousted by the Laurier government. He may yet return to a fitting place in public life and is a candidate for poundkeeper.

Freight Rates

The railway application for a 30% increase in freight rates is before the board of railway commissioners. There are able men presenting the case for the Maritimes and the west. One of their strongest objections to the 30% increase is that the railways are withholding data on many matters linked with this proposed increase. Where in Canada is the bulk of railway wages spent? What is actual cost of operation to justify this substantial jump attributed to demand for increased wages.

A most objectionable factor of freight rates in the "horizontal increase" meaning an increase applicable across Canada, regardless of such factors as the long hauls in the west, the high rates for mountain hauls, and so on. Lack of water competition across the west has already made western rates relatively higher than in the east.

The Lethbridge Herald in discussing rates points out that it is the Dominion of Canada—a whole that has furnished the hundreds of millions to build canals and Great Lake harbors, and provide navigation facilities which bring full benefit to Ontario and Quebec. This money has provided water competition that has resulted in reduced freight rates for adjacent areas. What compensation is being given to the west coast, the Maritimes and the prairies to make up for this central Canadian advantage which all have paid for?

Touching also on the proposed horizontal increase, the Lethbridge Herald says:

"As a case in point, a hundred-weight of a certain kind of manufactured food shipped from Aylmer, Ont., to Vancouver carries a freight rate of 72 cents. The freight rate on the same kind of goods from Lethbridge to Vancouver is 92 cents. To add a 30 per cent horizontal increase would put the Aylmer-Vancouver rate up to 119.6 cents, increasing the discrimination against Lethbridge from the present 20 cents to 26 cents. That sort of thing would be multiplied a thousand times if the horizontal freight rate increase were allowed to go through.

"There must be some way in which the West can get a fair deal in the freight rate structure. It is generally believed that one of the trans-continental companies, at least, earns \$2 in the West for \$1 it earns in the East. The railways do not like to divulge these figures."

If you have something to sell, buy or exchange, try an Advocate classified. The cost is small and it will really get results.

Lions' Auction Sale Saturday, Feb. 8th

Clare Dunham—Grain Loader

Bruce Roe—2 Burner Coal Oil Stove with Oven

Alex Smith—2½ Rolls Barb Wire

Howard Spaeth—Beatty Washing Machine Set Taps and Dies

Case Tractor on Rubber (Used only 3 weeks)

Oil Burner Brooder Stoves

Buckeye.—Lincoln—Queen's
Get yours now—the demand will be great

Ceresan and Leytasan

Our stock is now in.

Spring Stocks

are now arriving daily.

Crockery—Enamelware—Galvanized Ware, etc.

Carpenter Tools Now in Good Supply

VULCAN SUPPLY Co.

"Your Hardware Merchants"
Phone 21 Vulcan

HOW LONG HAS IT BEEN since you have been to CHURCH?

That's too long — now isn't it?

Then why don't you go to Church this Sunday at the Church of Christ

We Haven't Any

Cars or Trucks
to sell you . . .

BUT

You can buy a great variety of things at the

LIONS' AUCTION SALE

Saturday, February 8th

Allen's Sale Lot - 11 a.m.

ELDER'S GARAGE

FORD and MONARCH
Phone 24 Vulcan

NOTICE of POLL TOWN OF VULCAN Municipal Elections

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that an Election will be held for the offices of Two Councillors of the Town of Vulcan, for the years 1947, 1948 and 1949, and for the offices of Three School Trustees for the years 1947 and 1948, and that the Polling will take place on Monday the Tenth day of February, 1947, from ten o'clock in the forenoon until seven o'clock in the afternoon at the Town Office, and that I will at the Town Office, Vulcan, on Tuesday, the Eleventh day of February, 1947, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, sum up the votes and declare the result of the Election.

Given under my hand at Vulcan this Fourth day of February, 1947.

C. H. Hoskyn, Returning Officer

Vulcan Municipal Hospital District No. 19

NOTICE

Hospital Service Tickets

All Service Tickets for 1946 expired on December 31, 1946, and CAN ONLY BE RENEWED UP TO FEBRUARY 28th 1947. Holders of Tickets in the Hospital District during 1945 who did not purchase a Service Ticket in 1946, will be required to pay for both 1946 and 1947.

POSITIVELY No Tickets Will be Sold After the Last Day of February

D. A. McAfee, Secretary-Treasurer.

Vulcan Municipal Hospital District No. 19

Financial Statement For Year Ending December 31st, 1946

BALANCE SHEET AS AT DECEMBER 31st, 1946

— ASSETS —			
Cash—			
On Hand	\$ 20.00		
In Bank per Pass Book	\$ 5,289.14		
Less Outstanding Cheques	\$ 140.00	\$ 5,149.14	\$ 5,149.14
Investments—			
Dominion of Canada of Canada Bonds	\$ 9,850.00	\$ 9,850.00	
Accounts Receivable—			
Patients' Accounts per Reconciliation	\$ 317.00		
Government Grant	\$ 705.25	\$ 1,022.25	
Prepaid Expenses—			
Secretary and Matron	\$ 1,255.49		
Insurance Unexpired	\$ 577.69	\$ 1,833.18	
Fixed Assets—			
Land	\$ 900.00		
Buildings	\$ 40,236.80		
Machinery & Equip.	\$ 46,805.46		
Furniture & Fix. X-Ray	\$ 17,321.34	\$ 10,752.68	
Laundry, Etc.	\$ 58,458.14	\$ 46,805.45	\$ 11,652.68
TOTAL		\$29,527.25	

— LIABILITIES —			
Accounts Payable—			
Trade Accounts Current	\$ 743.86	\$ 743.86	
Surplus—Per Statement of Surplus		\$28,783.39	
TOTAL		\$29,527.25	

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1946

— REVENUE (Earnings) —			
By Government Grant	\$ 2,056.95		
By Requisitions (less discounts) per Statement	\$ 18,951.38		
By Patients' Fees—			
Ward Fees	\$ 7,397.50		
X-Ray	\$ 225.75		
Operating Room	\$ 496.50		
Old Fees Re-instated	\$ 139.67	\$ 8,259.42	
By Sundry—			
Subscribers' Fees	\$ 438.00		
Other	\$ 14.00		
Interest Earned—			
Interest on Dom. of Canada Bonds	\$ 345.34		
Interest on Savings Account	\$.66	\$ 346.00	\$ 798.00
TOTAL		\$30,065.75	

— EXPENSE (Whether Paid During Year or Not) —			
To Administration Expense—			
Salaries, Officers and Clerks	\$ 840.00		
Audit	\$ 125.00		
Board Meetings	\$ 343.80		
Stationery, Printing, Postage, Advertising	\$ 269.50		
Telegraph and Telephone	\$ 100.43		
Insurance	\$ 191.10		
Travelling	\$ 82.00		
Sundry	\$ 152.06	\$ 2,103.89	
To Professional Care of Patients—			
Salaries:			
Superintendent	\$ 1,610.00		
Nurses	\$ 5,739.25		
Orderlies	\$ 973.70	\$ 8,322.95	
Supplies:			
X-Ray Photography	\$ 48.60		
Apparatus and Instruments	\$ 72.60		
Medical and Surgical Supplies	\$ 1,006.77		
Alcohol, Liquor, Wines	\$ 15.50	\$ 1,143.47	\$ 9,466.42
To Kitchen and Dining Room—			
Wages, Dietitians, Cooks, Maids	\$ 1,179.90		
Bread	\$ 234.29		
Milk and Cream	\$ 660.79		
Groceries	\$ 1,140.78		
Butter and Eggs	\$ 480.92		
Meat, Poultry and Fish	\$ 915.13		
Fruit and Vegetables	\$ 750.82		
Sundries	\$ 129.55	\$ 5,492.18	
To General House and Property—			
Housekeeping, Wages	\$ 305.55		
Housekeeping, Supplies	\$ 80.34		
Laundry, Wages	\$ 707.60		
Laundry, Supplies	\$ 140.83		
Engineer and Janitor, Wages	\$ 961.00		
Fuel	\$ 658.30		
Light and Power	\$ 1,024.73	\$ 3,878.35	
To Maintenance (Including Wages)—			
Buildings and Grounds	\$ 607.84		
Furniture and Equipment	\$ 670.62		
Dry Goods	\$ 259.16	\$ 1,537.62	
TOTAL		\$23,107.61	

STATEMENT OF SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1946			
Surplus as at December 31st, 1945	\$25,239.54		
ADD: Operating Surplus for the Year	\$ 3,451.35		
Capital Profit on Victory Bonds Sold	\$ 92.50	\$ 3,543.85	
Surplus as at December 31st, 1946		\$28,783.39	

FIRE INSURANCE IN FORCE

Policy No.	Amt.	Unit Cov.	Company	Expiry Date	Prem
546012	\$12,500.00	Hospital	Pioneer Ins. Co.	17/10/49	\$121.80
	\$ 3,250.00	Nur's Home	Pioneer Ins. Co.	17/10/49	
	\$ 3,500.00	Equipment	Pioneer Ins. Co.	17/10/49	
	\$ 1,250.00	Home Fur.	Pioneer Ins. Co.	17/10/49	
	\$ 250.00	Iso. Hosp.	Pioneer Ins. Co.	17/10/49	
2114118	\$12,500.00	Hospital	Pearl Ass. Co.	17/10/49	\$121.80
	\$ 3,250.00	Nur's Home	Pearl Ass. Co.	17/10/49	
	\$ 3,500.00	Equipment	Pearl Ass. Co.	17/10/49	
	\$ 1,250.00	Equipment	Pearl Ass. Co.	17/10/49	
	\$ 250.00	Iso. Hop.	Pearl Ass. Co.	17/10/49	

PUBLIC LIABILITY INSURANCE CARRIED

Patient	\$5/15,000.00	General Accident Ass. Co.	15/8/49	\$138.00
Staff	\$5/10,000.00	General Accident Ass. Co.	15/8/49	\$287.92
Public	\$5/10,000.00	General Accident Ass. Co.	15/8/49	\$25.00

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1946

— ACTUAL RECEIPTS —			
To Balances on Hand January 1st, 1946—Cash	\$ 20.00		
Bank (Less Outstanding Cheques)	\$ 5,978.98	\$ 5,998.98	
To Grants—Government	\$ 5,223.10	\$ 5,223.10	
To Received on Requisitions as per Statement	\$ 18,951.38		
To Subscribers' Fees	\$ 438.00		
To Non-Ratepayers	\$ 5,124.71		
Bond Interest	\$ 345.34		
Fees Written Off Re-instated	\$ 139.67		
Medical Reports	\$ 2.00		
Bonds Sold	\$ 7,000.00		
Premium on Bonds Sold	\$ 92.50		
Savings Interest	\$.66		
TOTAL		\$43,316.34	

— ACTUAL PAYMENTS —			
By Administration—			
Salaries, Officers and Clerks	\$ 840.00		
Audit	\$ 125.00		
Board Meetings	\$ 343.80		
Stationery, Printing, Postage, Adv.	\$ 316.75		
Telegraph and Telephone	\$ 118.34		
Insurance	\$ 566.15		
Travelling	\$ 82.00		
Sundries	\$ 148.06	\$ 2,540.10	
Professional Care of Patients—			
Salaries:			
Superintendent	\$ 1,606.40		
Nurses	\$ 5,739.25		
Orderlies	\$ 973.70	\$ 8,319.35	
Supplies:			
X-Ray Photography	\$ 92.54		
Apparatus and Instruments	\$ 72.60		
Medical and Surgical Supplies	\$ 1,159.37		
Alcohol, Liquors, Wines	\$ 15.50	\$ 1,340.01	
Kitchen and Dining Room—			
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Dry Goods	\$ 259.16	\$ 1,537.62	
TOTAL OPERATING COSTS		\$23,107.61	

RECONCILIATION OF PATIENTS' ACCOUNTS, 1946			
Balance January 1st, 1946	\$ 1,161.46		
Current Year's Charges	\$ 8,134.25	\$ 9,295.71	
Current Year's Collections	\$ 8,088.71		
Written Off by Resolution	\$ 890.00	\$ 8,978.71	
Net Balance in Patients' Ledger (to balance sheet)		\$ 317.00	
Actual Total of Balances in Patients' Ledger		\$ 317.00	

RECONCILIATION OF PATENTS' ACCOUNTS RESERVE, 1946			
Balance January 1st, 1946	\$ 209.76		
Current Year's Provision charged to Expend.	\$ 680.24	\$ 890.00	
Bad Debts Written Off	\$ 890.00	\$ 890.00	
Reserve December 31st, 1946		\$	

STATEMENT OF REQUISITIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1946			
Contributing Unit	Requisitions 1946	Total	Received on Requisitions Dur'g 1946
M. D. Argyle No. 26	\$ 794.88	\$ 794.88	\$ 794.88
M. D. Blackie No. 20	\$ 1,260.38	\$ 1,260.38	\$ 1,260.38
M. D. Vulcan No. 29	\$ 11,835.12	\$ 11,835.12	\$ 11,835.12
S.A. Board No. 127	\$ 2,311.00	\$ 2,311.00	\$ 2,311.00
Town of Vulcan	\$ 2,750.00	\$ 2,750.00	\$ 2,750.00
TOTAL	\$18,951.38	\$18,951.38	\$18,951.38

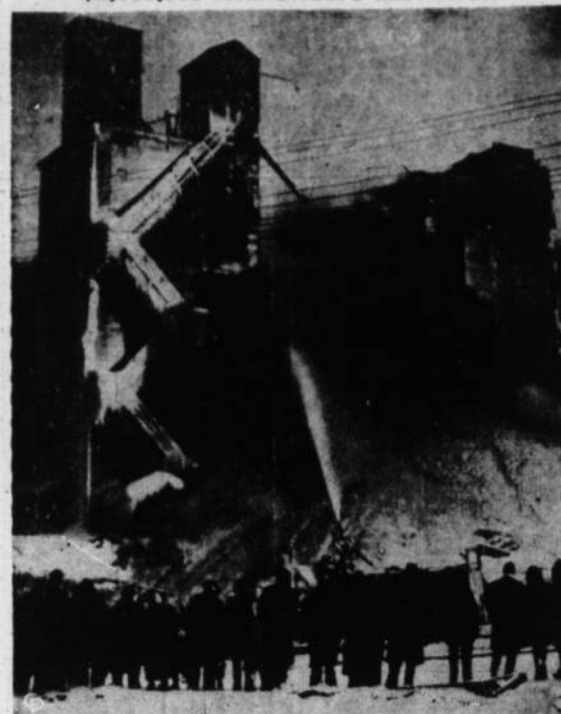
1945 and 1946 COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF PATIENT DAY COSTS AND STATISTICS			
	1946	1945	
Actual Cost of Operation (Excluding Depreciation and Bad Debts)	\$22,951.07	\$22,686.21	
Actual Days Hospitalization Provided, as Verified by Auditor and Nursing Sup't.	5,257	5,848	
Actual Cost Per Patient Day (Excluding Depreciation and Bad Debts)	4.37	3.88	
Actual Earnings (Excluding Depreciation and Bad Debts)	\$29,926.08	\$29,369.04	
Births	93	119	
Medical Cases	299	176	
Surgical Cases	206	258	
Obstetrical	94	138	
Total Patients	692	691	
Deaths	15	15	

Daily Rates for Non-Ratepayers—Public Ward \$3.50

DEBENTURE STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1946			
Amount of Issue	Amount Sold	Term of Years From	To
\$35,000.00	\$35,000.00	1928	1948
\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	1929	1949
\$8,000.00	\$8,000.00	1932	1947
TOTAL	\$53,000.00		

Amount of Issue	Amount Sold	Term of Years From	To	Rate%	Amt. Annual Payment	Amount Redeemed in 1946	Principal	Total Principal Redeemed To Date
\$2,135.00	\$2,135.00			5.5	\$ 2,135.00	\$ 401.13	\$ 5,250.00	\$35,000
\$650.00	\$650.00			6	\$ 650.00	\$ 147.67	\$ 2,000.00	\$10,000
\$823.70	\$823.70			6	\$ 823.70	\$ 97.99	\$ 1,510.19	\$ 8,000
\$3,608.70	\$3,608.70				\$ 3,608.70	\$ 646.79	\$ 8,760.19	\$53,000

\$2,000,000 FIRE SWEEPS ELEVATOR



A fire in the Brooks grain elevator at Minneapolis, Minn., caused damages estimated at over two million dollars. The blaze started from a spark on a conveyor belt and when the fire threatened to spread, firefighters concentrated their hoses on an adjoining building.

LIONS' AUCTION SALE

at
C. M. ALLEN'S SALE LOT
Vulcan

SATURDAY, FEB. 8th

commencing at 11 a.m.

Total Proceeds for Memorial Swimming Pool
and Community Service

ANY OR ALL ARTICLES, LARGE OR
SMALL, WILL BE ACCEPTED AS
DONATIONS FOR THIS SALE

LUNCH WILL BE SERVED

3 AUCTIONEERS 3

Commodore Allen · Jack Ginther · Jos. Gerding

STATEMENT OF REMUNERATION TO BOARD MEMBERS
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1946

Name	Rep. District	Number of Meetings	Rate	Number of Miles	Rate	Amount Due for 1946	% To Requisition	Total Due	Paid in 1946
J. E. Carlson	29	10	4.00	300	10c	\$70.00	.59	\$70.00	\$70.00
W. Oldfield	29	10	4.00	310	10c	\$71.00	.59	\$71.00	\$71.00
A. Smith	29	10	4.00	260	10c	\$66.00	.56	\$66.00	\$66.00
W. D. Allan, Vulcan	9	4.00				\$36.00	.13	\$36.00	\$36.00
A. Hanna	S.A.	10	4.00	608	10c	\$100.80	.43	\$100.80	\$100.80
		49	4.00	1478	10c	\$343.80	.18	\$343.80	\$343.80

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

We have audited the Books and Records of the Vulcan Municipal Hospital No. 19 for the year December 31st, 1946 and have compared the said accounts with their relative vouchers and certify that in our opinion the foregoing financial statements are properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the financial affairs of the Hospital District according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the records subject to any qualifications mentioned in the Auditor's Special Report attached.

Dated at Vulcan this 13th day of January, 1947.

(Signed) McCANNEL BROS. & CO., per C. H. Milne, C.A.

AUDITOR—McCannel Bros. & Co., C.A., 217 Dominion Bank Bldg., Calgary, Alberta.

SECRETARY-TREASURER—D. A. McAfee, Vulcan, Alberta.

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COMPANY—General Accident Assurance Company of Canada.

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Items From Bob Edwards' Inimitable "Eye Opener"

In Bob Edwards' issue of the High River Eye Opener of Feb. 17, 1903, he takes us on a round of the town to note progress in building on Refreshment Avenue, general good health and so on. He quotes the plea of a learned lawyer from Hootch in a pig case, and then sounds off in caustic vein on the American millionaires who buy up titles for their daughters through a marriage ceremony.

The Daily Round
Mr. Bavin is building an addition to the house on Market Street to bring it to a level with the sidewalk.

Joe Powell has joined the choir of the Methodist church and sang for the first time last Sunday evening. The congregation when last seen was heading for the foothills.

The new livery stable facing Refreshment Avenue is going ahead rapidly, while the addition to the Royal livery stable is even now ready for the house-warming dance which is such a delightful feature of every livery stable opening.

Nitchie Hutchinson is running the billiard hall, and being a popular fellow is doing a rushing trade.

The health of the town is very good, almost everyone being either on the mend or in prime condition.

A station agent has been located at Nanton. This should prove a blessing to stray drunks from

neighboring burghs who have occasion to wire for more money.

James Stansfield who met with an accident on the ice the other day is fully recovered. "Saved, saved!" I cried "when lo, to my horror, her hair came off."

Call at Thompson's for your overcoat and underclothing. He is having a real slaughter sale.

Learned Lawyer of Hootch

J. B. Cassidy, the well known lawyer of Hootch, Alberta, who handles most of the criminal cases of that region, paid a brief visit to Calgary last week taking in the sights. Mr. Cassidy has established for himself a reputation for profundity and big words that are the befuddlement of the drunken boobs at Hootch. He purposely uses language which no one in court can understand.

Only the other day Cassidy was defending a man charged with stealing a hog and proceeded to

NEWS OF INTEREST

Radio announcers are always fair game for listeners. Every slip has repercussions. The other day an announcer was telling a story in which the byrn "By cool Salome's shady rill" was mentioned. He is a little shaky on his Bible because he called it "By cool Salome's shady rill." Salome wasn't reputed to be cool.

A new Canadian 4 cent postage stamp will be issued to commemorate the 100th anniversary of Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone. Bell was born in Scotland and lived with his parents at Brantford for some years. Most of his research was made in Boston, but his idea of the telephone was conceived in Brantford and it was in Brantford in 1876 that he made his first demonstration.

hand-out this line to the J.P. "If your honor please" he said, "I would not for a moment mutilate the majesty of the law, nor contravene the avoidpools of the testimony, but I would ask you to focalize your five senses on the proposition. I am about to make. In criminal cases, there are three essential elements—the locus in quo, the modus operandi and the corpus delicti. I think I am safe in saying that the modus operandi and the corpus delicti are all right, but there is entire absence of locus in quo. I therefore ask dismissal." The plea was effective, and the atmosphere cleared by complete acquittal.

Millionaires and Daughters
Speaking of millionaires, there is a great shock in store for some of these featherheaded American girls who have bartered their bodies, souls, and dollars for European titles. All titles are to be abolished in France. Titled Frenchmen are to have their pretty handles taken from them by the government. A beastly shame.

We have not heard if the fathers of the girls are to get a rebate of 10% on their original purchase money, but by rights the de-titled sons-in-law should refund at least half. The wives themselves should demand compensation from the French government, and run a good chance of getting it, because the goods they have bought has depreciated by act of government.

Amongst those whose hearts will be broken are Anna Gould, who traded herself for a generous consideration to an impecunious young idiot Count Boni de Castellane; Meggie Mitchell of Oregon who got staked by her father Senator Mitchell, and bought the Duke de la Rouchefoucauld; Carrie Livingston invested her dough in Count de Laugier-Jillars. Miss Burden blew herself to Baron le Peletier d'Awnay. An ambitious widow wallowing in money, picked out the title Countess August de Rohan-Cabor. There are several others probably crying their eyes out as we go to press.

We regret to see that a young Canadian woman has recently married an English peer eighty years of age after a satisfactory settlement had been made. Such marriages are the height of immorality, yet we ourselves might be lured into marrying some old

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Sunday, Feb. 9th —
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blaster with plenty of money. Money talks. In this case the 80-year-old Marquis of Donegal married the 24-year-old Miss Twining. The rank of peeress was for sale for \$125,000 cash. But the old Marquis got an annual settlement of \$40,000 which is pretty good going, considering the limits on his enjoyments and activities.

What marital felicity there must be in such unions. The wife interested in the speedy death of her husband. The longer he lives the more he costs. We are betting the Marquis is paying some heavy doctor bills to keep him above the daisies.

NOTICE PICTURES YOU'VE BEEN WAITING FOR

Hollywood's Latest Productions with Shorts, Cartoons, News

Thurs., Fri., Sat., February 6, 7, and 8

Irving Berlin's Creation
"Blue Skies"

Starring Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire and Joan Caulfield

Sun. Preview (12:15 Midnight) & Mon. p.m.
February 9 and 10

Just Released by Paramount—

"Two Years Before the Mast"

With Alan Ladd, William Bendix, Brian Donlevy
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Tuesday and Wednesday, February 11 and 12

A top Western starring Roy Rogers, for the first time at this theatre, in

"Home in Oklahoma"

Thurs., Fri., Sat., February 13, 14, 15
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February 23 and 24

"Getting Gertie's Garter"

A terrific comedy starring Dennis O'Keefe and Marie MacDonald

Tuesday and Wednesday, February 25 and 26

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A drama featuring Danna Andrews, Richard Conte, George Tyne

Thurs., Fri., Sat., February 26, 27 and 28

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A 20th Century Fox Highlight starring John Fodiak, Nancy Guild, Lloyd Nolan, Richard Conte

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ELECTION NOTICE

Nominations for Elections

Municipal District of Vulcan No. 29

Municipal Elections, 1946

Public Notice is hereby given that a Meeting of the Electors of Municipal District of Vulcan No. 29, will be held at the I.O.O.F. Hall, Vulcan, Alberta, at one o'clock p.m. on Saturday the 15th day of February, 1947, for the discussion of the affairs of the district; and that from three o'clock p.m. to 4 o'clock p.m. on the same day and at the same place nominations for the office of Councillor will be received, one Councillor to be elected.

Councillor is to be elected for the following electoral division: Division One.

At the same place, time and date above mentioned, nominations for members of the Boards of the following Municipal Hospital Districts will be received. Members to be elected at large.

One Member of the Board of High River Hospital District No. 11.

One Member of the Board of Vulcan Hospital District No. 19.

One Member of the Board of Little Bow Hospital District No. 25.

Given under my hand at Vulcan this 3rd day of February, 1947.

A. J. MILLER, Returning Officer

Discuss Pros and Cons University at Calgary

C. M. Lavery Presents Points Raised in Favor of Univ. Branch in Southern Alta., and Arguments Opposing Establishment.

(From High River Times)

A topic which is being much discussed in Southern Alberta is the desirability of establishing a University in Calgary. On Wednesday evening the Home and School Association was addressed by C.M. Lavery, public school supervisor, on this subject.

Mr. Lavery explained that he had endeavored to consider the question as a debate, first presenting arguments in favor of a University set-up in Calgary and the presenting of arguments which might oppose this move. It is natural that Calgary and the south country should feel strongly in favor of establishment of University facilities in the south, but it was his aim to give points on both sides of the question.

Affirmative arguments which have been presented, he said, include the following:

1) It was agreed in 1942-43 by the Board of Governors of the University and the educational sub-committee of the Post War Reconstruction committee that a branch of the University should be set up in the Institute of Technology to accommodate about 1000 pupils from the group expected to overcrowd the University after the end of the war.

2. There were 2620 who did show up in 1945, and 1000 were freshmen. In 1946 there were 4,049 of whom 2000 were freshmen. The highest total prior to that had been 1931 pupils in 1938, when 500 had been freshmen. Calgary argues that no building program on the University campus could prevent continued overcrowding.

3. The government took no ac-

tion, and hence many of the buildings recommended for use in the report have gone into other hands, but that 500 or 600 could still be accommodated by using the west wing to capacity and recovering the R.C.A.F. canteen.

4. The government neglected to make full provision for use of Calgary Normal, when teacher training went into the hands of the Faculty of Education in the spring of 1945. Hence Calgary now has only 140 teachers in training there.

5. Facilities for University education should be greatly increased in Alberta. This province, it is claimed, stands low amongst Canadian provinces when total University students are compared with total population. Figures from U.S.A. indicate that there should be 1130 University students per 100,000 population, whereas we had only 286 in 1938, though we have over twice that many right now.

6. Figures from Montana, N. Dakota and Utah show that each supports three universities, though with only three-quarters of Alberta's population.

7. Calgary students, it is claimed, would attend in greater numbers if a University were operating. Figures show about three students with Edmonton address for every one from Calgary. With all possible factors considered, Calgary has fewer students than Edmonton.

Arguments Against

Mr. Lavery in an endeavor to present the case fairly and judge it wisely, then gave attention to opposing arguments.

1. When the Board of Governors and Education committee recommended a \$50,000 expenditure per year so that the Institute of Technology and adjacent buildings might be used for University pur-

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Weed Control With 2,4-D

2,4-D is a hormone-like substance or growth regulator. It is a new chemical weed killer of great promise. During 1945 and 1946, thousands of tests were made of 2,4-D on large numbers of weed and crop plants in the United States and Canada. On the basis of these tests the North Central Weed Control Conference, held recently at Des Moines, Iowa, made certain tentative recommendations in respect to the use of 2,4-D in 1947, a brief summary of some of which is presented here.

Recommendations. 2,4-D is recommended for the following purposes: (1) To control broadleaved weeds in lawns and turfed areas. (2) To eradicate many weeds from roadsides, rights-of-way, ditch banks, fence rows, and other areas where there is no danger of injuring susceptible ornamental or crop plants. (3) To control many annual weeds in resistant growing crops. (4) For the prevention of seed production of some weeds. (5) To reduce the vigor of susceptible perennial weeds. (6) For spot treatment of susceptible perennial weeds in pastures that do not contain legumes.

Important Factors. Some of the important factors affecting the results of 2,4-D treatments are the kind of plant, stage of growth, soil moisture, soil fertility and temperature. Farmers planning the use of 2,4-D treatments for grain crops in 1947 should seek advice from their Agricultural Representative or nearest University or Dominion Experimental Station.

Weed Research. Much more information is needed on weed control by 2,4-D. As a matter of fact there is the greatest need in Canada, not only for more chemical weed control studies, but for greatly enlarged funds for general weed research. No practical weed control program can be better than the research on which it is based.

is to result in two cheap institutions instead of one good one. If, however, the classes can be well housed at Mount Royal or in Technical school and adjoining buildings and professors provided at one place as well as another, let us have some of these rooms in Calgary for those who can most readily attend. But I am not sure that I know enough about this question even to discuss it."

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Many small towns in Saskatchewan were completely isolated owing to snowbound roads, and the worst storm conditions in over forty years. But almost all have now made contact with the outside world. On a branch line south of Regina it took a train 12 hours to go 80 miles.

Southern Alberta sugar beets extraction is expected to reach 108,000,000 lbs. of sugar. If it could all be used in Alberta we would be about four times sweeter than we are.

The regular meeting of the Good Deeds W.I. will be held at the home of Mrs. E. E. Andrews on Feb. 13th.

Allie Streeter with his famous cuttin' horse Keno, is now down at Denver, Colorado, taking part in the world championship "cuttin' horse stake" at the rodeo at Denver. He is up against 150 competitors.

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News from Champion

James and George Ellis, Jim and John Carlson and Sev Passoli attended the hockey match at Lethbridge last Wednesday evening. Harold Matlock recently spent a few days in Banff visiting Mrs. Matlock, who has been a hospital patient there for some time. Mr. Matlock reports that his wife is showing very good improvement.

Constable J. Hurst of the R.C. M.P., Vulcan, gave a very informative address to the high school students recently, his subject being "Highway Traffic Laws and Safety Rules."

Mrs. George Taylor and her daughter, Mrs. K. Bloxham, entertained at the home of the latter, Tuesday evening, Jan. 28, in honor of Misses Shirley and Joyce Taylor, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor, on their seventeenth anniversary. About 20 teen-agers were present. They skated the early part of the evening and then enjoyed games, contests and a treasure hunt. A delicious lunch was served by the hostesses. Of interest was the fact that there were three sets of twins present—Shirley and Joyce Taylor, Jack and Bob Long, and Racille and Romon Hummel—niece sons and daughters of Champion and all having birthday anniversaries in January.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Voisey were Calgary visitors for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Greenlee were business visitors at Lethbridge during the week.

Pete Patterson was a recent Calgary visitor for a week.

V. Stout recently visited Lethbridge.

Milt Moffat of Lethbridge was a recent business visitor in town. Owing to the severe weather only eight ladies attended the Women's Association January meeting at the home of Mrs. R. Maxwell. Mrs. D. Greenlee was co-hostess.

E. P. Griffin recently spent a few days visiting at Lethbridge.

Rev. and Mrs. Peter Dawson spent a few days in Calgary the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hopkins and Mr. and Mrs. Al Christenson were Calgary visitors for a few days recently.

Mrs. A. Brett and daughter, Ruth, were Lethbridge visitors this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Long were recent Calgary visitors.

Mrs. Frank Caldwell spent two days in Lethbridge recently.

Howard Orcutt and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Orcutt were recent Lethbridge visitors to bring home Mrs. H. Orcutt and infant son.

Mr. and Mrs. George Orr have been Calgary visitors for a few days.

Mrs. L. Hoffman has as her house guest for the next few months her sister-in-law, Miss Margaret Hoffman of Vancouver.

The 18 years and under boys hockey team motored to Vulcan for a hockey match last week. Vulcan defeated Champion by a 6-2 score.

Reg Sansome, school van driver, housed his young charges in town Thursday night owing to the severity of the weather and drifted roads on his route. Some of the vans didn't get to town for a few days.

Mrs. E. Griffin is a Calgary visitor this week.

E. Code of Calgary was a business visitor for a few days during the week.

Mrs. S. T. Nichol and small daughter have returned home after visiting relatives at Medicine Hat for two weeks.

Rustin MacLeod of the Savoy hotel has been a B.C. visitor for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Carlson and family returned on Sunday after spending the past six weeks visiting with Mrs. Carlson's mother, Mrs. Kay, at Vancouver.

Mrs. C. G. Taylor was a recent Lethbridge visitor.

Mrs. J. Elyshyn is visiting relatives at Medicine Hat this week.

F. Bennett is visiting at Claresholm, guest of his brother, C. V. Bennett.

On Monday, Feb. 3, James Buchan was elected by acclamation to the village council to succeed J. Mark.

J. W. McKie, formerly of Vulcan, has been appointed secretary-treasurer of the village of Champion and assumed his new duties on Feb. 1st.

objectively, weighing evidence and facts as presented by both sides.

For that reason it is imperative that all evidence and claims be fully supported. There may be a tendency to send in resolutions which in too many cases may be little more than expression of sentiment unsupported by specific data. Every precaution should be taken to see that there are capable representatives, and that briefs are well prepared. A number of provincial organizations have expressed their zeal on the question of Hutterite settlement in the form of resolutions. Are they preparing material to follow through before the special committee.

After all, Hutterite settlement in Alberta has affected only a small section of the province to date, and from a national standpoint it is negligible. But it is quite possible that it may have a bearing on Canada's future immigration policy, and may be used as a precedent in future. For that reason it seems most important that organizations having any strong views on the subject, should present their case as ably as possible, and as convincingly, before the special committee.

The understanding is that if briefs are not ready for presentation at the Lethbridge sitting, they may be presented at Calgary; or even before the final sitting at Edmonton on Feb. 24 and 25.

Bull Dozing May Come Back

Herman Linder of Cardston, rodeo manager, returned recently from the Denver Stock Show and Rodeo and reports the circuit stampedes this year will be more colorful and exciting than ever. The emphasis will be on color but without lowering the quality of the cowboy sports themselves.

Steer wrestling will be a new feature in the South Alberta shows he said, as this event is going over big in the States.

The cream of the rodeo performers from south of the line plan to be in Alberta for the circuit shows, he states. Overflow crowds marked the Denver rodeo, indicative of the strong pull of the western sport south of the border.

Steer wrestling or bull dogging was first introduced to Alberta at the original Calgary Stampede in 1912 but was discontinued a short time later because the Humane Society objected to it. Later a milder form, steer decorating, was introduced. However, the rules of steer wrestling have since been modified.

Yorath Heads Flying Group

D. K. Yorath of Calgary, former vice-president of the Royal Flying Club Association, was named president of the Nationwide Civilian Flying Group at the association's annual meeting. He succeeds S. R. Bernardo of Brantford, Ont.

Roy H. Foss of Montreal, succeeded Mr. Yorath as vice-president and D. L. Buchanan, Ottawa, was re-elected secretary-manager and Dr. H. A. Yates of Ottawa, honorary treasurer.

Zone directors of the association named for 1947, include W. R. (Wop) May, Edmonton.

NEWS OF INTEREST

United States is planning to produce one-half its country's sugar needs. There is talk of Canada expanding sugar beet production to take care of one-third of the domestic needs.

The largest door in the world is in Bristol, England. It is 1045 feet across and is 65½ ft. high, and weighs 200 tons. It is an aircraft assembly hall to open for the Brabazon, the world's biggest airliner.

The B.C. government is earmarking all motor revenues for road construction and maintenance. South of the border 19 states.

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TO THE ELECTORS OF VULCAN

In accepting the nomination for councillor, I wish to draw your attention to the following points:

- (1) That I am one hundred per cent for the proposed water and sewerage plan.
- (2) That, if elected, I will do my utmost to make our Town of Vulcan a better place to live in and to keep stride with our ever-advancing province and nation.
- (3) That, if elected, I will endeavor to see that the youth of our town have more and better facilities for the advancement of sport and cultural activities, which go so far to form citizens of the highest character.

With these points in mind, I appeal to you for your support on Election Day.

GORDON CLAYTON.

To the Electors of the Town of Vulcan

I respectfully solicit your vote for Councillor on February 10th., and if elected, I will endeavor to give the same attention to the business of the Town of Vulcan as I would to my personal business.

M. R. MORRISON

TO THE ELECTORS OF VULCAN

As some of my fellow Vulcan friends have seen fit to nominate me for the Town Council, I think it fair to express my feeling towards the Town and its future.

To begin with, I would not have started business in Vulcan unless it was my opinion that the town had great possibilities and a future, both financial and cultural.

In order for the Town to attain a future, it is necessary that we work together and push any and all of those improvements that will bring up the standard of living without forgetting the necessity of watching and maintaining a suitable balance between the desire to improve and the financial ability of the town, both present and prospective, to pay for the same.

It is known that it is not possible for any people to stand still, financially or culturally, mentally or physically, we either progress or go back.

I do not intend to go back, and will do what I can to prevent this town going back, for we are going one way or the other, all of us in the same boat.

A. G. SAXBY

VULCAN THEATRE

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Thurs. Fri. Sat. Feb. 6, 7, 8

One Show Thursday and Friday at 8:15 p.m.
Two Shows Saturday Evening at 7:30 and 9:30

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Mon. Tues. Feb. 10, 11

One Show Nightly at 8:15

Double Feature Program

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Pat O'Brien — Adolph Menjou

"Hot Cargo"

William Gargan — Jean Rogers

Thurs. Fri. Sat. Feb. 13, 14, 15

"Cockeyed Miracle"

Frank Morgan — Keenan Wynn — Audry Totter
Paramount News

Fresh Frozen RASPBERRIES

2 Baskets 65c

Not many of these left

Chili Con Carne

2 tins 49c

Sunkist Oranges

A good sized orange, 3 doz. 1.00

Grapefruit Juice

20 oz. tins 2 for 25c
Case of 24 tins 2 85

Choice selection of—

Tomatoes, Lettuce, Celery
Bananas, Yams, New Bunch Carrots

Economy FOOD STORE

Chas. Northcott, Prop.

Phone 131

"CROW" GARAGE PAY

The Crow's Nest Pass zone of Service Station Operators has set wage schedules for a 12 month period. Minimum wages were 90 cts. per hour for first class mechanics, 80 cts. for second class and so on. Only great emergency will justify work on Sundays and holidays. Regular working week was 48 hours over a 5½ day week. Overtime in specific jobs was time and a half or double. The mechanic is prohibited from doing any other mechanical work outside his place of employment, except on order of employer or on his own car.

New car license plates will be available to Alberta car owners about March 15. A single plate will be issued again this year.

H. H. Hannam, president of the Canadian Federation Agriculture, has warned that farmers should not withhold produce from market until all normal methods of consultation has failed. He agreed that farmers have as much right to strike as others, but would have to strike on a wide regional or national basis before it would be effective.

MENSINGER MOTORS

Mercury and Lincoln

— Sales and Service —

On Hand and Ready For Immediate Delivery

- 1- No. 3 Cockshutt Hammer Mill with Feed Mixer
- 2- Goodyear 13.50 x 28 Tractor Tires
- 2- Robeco Pump Jacks
- Land Packers, Disc type and Crowfoot type

RADIO TUBES
and
BATTERIES

Lions' Club Auction Sale, Saturday, February 8th

Brief Items of Local Interest

Bob Langle is spending a few days in Calgary.

Jim Kettleson of Calgary, spent the week-end at his home in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Cays are at present guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Deans.

Miss Anne Lee of Calgary, spent a few days at her home in the district recently.

Bruce Middleton of Calgary, spent a few days with relatives and friends here last week.

The Anderson Sisters orchestra is playing at the Reid Hill hall on Thursday, Feb. 20.

J. Majakey, of the high school staff, spent the long week-end with his family in Calgary.

Mrs. Alvin Jacobson and daughter Clara, spent the week-end in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hurley and baby daughter of Jamaica are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Chapman.

Mrs. S. Roskin of Lethbridge has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Craig for the past week.

Mrs. C. B. Shimp and daughter Inez spent the week-end in Lethbridge, where Inez will attend Garbutt's Business College.

Friends will regret to learn that Mrs. Frank Maider is a patient in the Holy Cross Hospital, Calgary.

Friends of Mary Lou Loose will regret to learn she underwent an emergency appendectomy on Saturday in the local hospital.

George Monkman of Calgary, is spending a few days at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Earl Jensen and Mr. Jensen.

The Foothills Health District will hold their regular Baby and Pre-school Clinic in the Vulcan United Church on Tuesday, Feb. 11th, from 1:30 until 4 p.m.

What can you give to the Lions' big auction sale on Saturday, Feb. 8th? Donations of anything and everything can be taken to C. M. Allen's sale lot at any time.

Don't forget the next game of the bridge and whist series to be played in the Legion hall, Monday evening, Feb. 10th, under auspices of the Legion Auxiliary.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Mensinger, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Munson and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fulton are attending the Olds bonspiel this week.

In a note to the Advocate regarding a change of address, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Gohler of Vancouver extend best wishes to all their Vulcan friends.

Word has been received here of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Langle in Calgary, on Monday. Mrs. Langle was before her marriage Miss Mary Bennett.

Mrs. Wright of Medicine Hat and Mrs. Garland, Prince Albert, have returned to their homes after a visit with Mrs. Margaret Dobbs. They were accompanied on their trip home as far as Lethbridge by Mrs. Dobbs.

Ensign curling rinks made a good showing at the recent bonspiel held at Brant. The rink skipped by W. S. Barker won the president's event, while the P. Oakes rink won the vice-president's contest. The consolation went to Ed. Prater's Brant rink.

Mrs. Low Roskin (formerly Bettie Craig) and two children left Vulcan Monday evening for Edmonton, where they will make their home. Mr. Roskin has accepted a position with a broadcasting company in that city.

Spring Wheat For South Alta.

(Lethbridge Herald)

Information has been requested for results obtained at the Lethbridge Experimental Station with Reliance wheat and this letter has been prepared to show a comparison of Reliance with other common varieties under dry and irrigated conditions.

Reliance originated in the United States from a cross between Kanred (a winter wheat) and Marquis. It was grown to quite an extent in Saskatchewan several years ago, but was not rust resistant and has been replaced by rust-resistant about the same time as Reliance. It also resulted from a cross between Kanred and Marquis, made at the University of Minnesota, but the final development work was done at the University of Alberta. These two varieties are very similar in appearance, both being bearded, about the same height as Marquis, and they also ripen about the same time as Marquis. The two chief differences between them are that Reliance is weaker in the straw than Canus, but Canus has more tendency to shatter than Reliance.

In recent years several local tests of spring wheat varieties have been conducted at different points throughout the district, served by the Lethbridge station. When the yields of the different varieties in these different tests were averaged it was found that Reliance gave the heaviest yield, followed by Canus, Red Bobs 222, Thatcher and Marquis. Reliance outyields other varieties, by a greater margin on irrigated land, or in the districts where rainfall is usually plentiful.

The following shows the average yields obtained in tests at the Lethbridge station under dry and irrigated conditions for a period of the last nine years.

Dry Land

	Yield per acre
Thatcher	33.8 bush.
Reliance	33.7 bush.
Canus	32.9 bush.
Red Bobs 222	32.4 bush.
Marquis	29.3 bush.

Irrigated Land

	Yield per acre
Reliance	70.5 bush.
Thatcher	65.0 bush.
Canus	64.6 bush.
Red Bobs 222	61.1 bush.
Marquis	60.0 bush.

These figures indicate that on dry land the yield in favor of Reliance has not been significant. On irrigated land, however, there has been considerable increase in yield, but precautions should be taken to irrigate early so as to avoid lodging.

WHITE CANE WEEK

This is White Cane Week, sponsored by the Canadian Council of the Blind and the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, to acquaint Canadians with their blind neighbors and to ask for their co-operation in helping the man with the White Cane.

The White Cane has become a symbol of blindness. Treat it with respect, with courtesy, but not with pity. The man who carries a White Cane appreciate your assistance, but he doesn't ask for tears. Your kindness helps him to help himself. This week, and all weeks, lend him your eyes in as many ways as possible, to broaden his horizon . . . to help him to walk alone.

Men's Underwear

Stanfield's Red Label Pure Wool Rib Knit Combinations, suit

\$4.95

Penman's Pure Wool Rib Knit Combinations at suit

\$4.75

Penman's Fleece Lined No. 27 Combinations at suit

\$1.95

Mercury No. 77 Flat Knit Merino Combinations, at suit

\$2.75

Knitwell Brand Ribbed Cotton Spring Needle Knit, at suit

\$2.00

Hand made Pure Wool Mitts for men, at

\$1.25

F.M. ANDERSON & CO. LTD.

NATIONAL HEALTH WEEK

- National Social Hygiene Day Wednesday, Feb. 5th.
- This drug store is co-operating with the Canadian Pharmaceutical Assn. and Health League of Canada.

Attend the Lions' Auction Sale on Saturday

Mitchell's Drug Store

John Mitchell, Phm. B., Prop.

Small Remedies "Prescriptions A Specialty"

RED & WHITE
SAVES YOU MONEY EVERY DAY

Fulton Bros.

New Carrots, bunch	10c
Cauliflower, lb.	15c
Celery, lb.	17c
Oranges 252's, special 4 doz. for	99c
Oranges 288's, 3 doz. for	83c
York Chili Con Carne, 27 oz. tins, 2 for	49c
Burns' Campfire Sausage, 14 oz. tins, 2 for	37c

Boost the Lions' Auction Sale by Your Attendance

WEEK-END SPECIALS

House Dresses (Cotton Print)

Sizes 14 to 20, at **\$2.59**

Boys' Parkas

Sizes 12, 14, 16, at **\$8.95**

All Wool Baby Blankets, (soft and downy) **\$4.75**

3 only Men's Overcoats

Two 38's, one 42, reg. \$37.50; at **\$29.50**

Rubber Crib Sheets at

\$1.49

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